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Leading Global Telecommunications Provider Moves into Peachtree Corners

PEACHTREE CORNERS, GA, Nov. 20, 2015 – This week <u>Level (3) Communications</u>, a Fortune 500 company, celebrated the expansion of its operations into Peachtree Corners. The announcement represents 350+ jobs that are moving into Gwinnett County's newest and largest city.

"We are extremely pleased to welcome Level (3) to our business community," said Mayor Mike Mason. "They are a great fit. The company's decision to choose Technology Park as the site for its relocation further illustrates that Peachtree Corners is a top 10 regional job hub."

Level (3)'s new operations center is located in Technology Park in a 39,000 square foot state-of-the-art operations facility. Company leaders decided to consolidate local employees into one location to serve as a core operations and sales location.

"Bringing all of our employees together aligns with Level (3)'s business objectives and enables us to strengthen our relationship with our local, regional and global customers," said Jorge Magana, Level (3)'s vice president of global operations.

"For our employees, Peachtree Corners and the greater Atlanta area offer a strong quality of life and a wonderful cultural environment. The purchase and buildout of the new facility is a strategic investment, and we are looking forward to deepening our roots here in Georgia," Magana added.

The company's global network securely provides local, national and global communications services to enterprise, government and carrier customers to 500 markets spanning three continents and more than 60 countries.

"Level (3)'s decision to expand into Gwinnett County highlights, once again, the strong technology sector that exists in our community," said Gwinnett County Board of Commissioners Chairman Charlotte Nash. "This expansion is a testament to our dynamic workforce, probusiness climate and innovation opportunities."

The <u>Georgia Department of Economic Development</u> and <u>Gwinnett Chamber Economic</u>

<u>Development</u> jointly announced the news. The Gwinnett Chamber Economic Development globally markets Gwinnett as the premier location in metro Atlanta and the State of Georgia for growing and conducting business.

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To learn more about Level (3), visit www.level3.com.

About the City of Peachtree Corners:

Gwinnett County's newest and largest city, Peachtree Corners was founded July 1, 2012 and is located along the shores of the Chattahoochee River in the southwest corner of the county. The city is home to some 38,500 residents and over 2,300 businesses. City Hall is located at 147 Technology Parkway, Suite 200, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092.